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SUBJECT: GOA PRESS STAKES OUT ITS POSITION ON US PRESIDENTIAL
CAMPAIGN

1. GOA PRESS SERVICE, APS, 16 JULY CARRIED EDITORIAL
ENTITLED "USA: TWO CAMPAIGNS, ONE THEME".

2. THRUST OF ARTICLE DESIGNED TO DEMONSTRATE THERE
EXISTS NO DIFFERENCES BETWEEN DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL
NOMINEE CARTER ON ONE HAND AND EITHER PRESIDENT FORD OR
GOVERNOR REAGAN ON OTHER.

3. MAJOR PART OF ARTICLE DEVOTED TO QUOTING FROM SENATOR
MONDALE STATEMENT ON ENTEBBE OPERATION TO SHOW THAT CARTER
AS COMMITTED TO ISRAEL AS REAGAN AND THAT "THERE IS BARELY
ANY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN ULTRAS LIKE REAGAN AND NEW LIBERAL
RECRUIT OF CARTER TYPE; BOTH WISH TO MAKE US MORE AGGRESSIVE
COUNTRY AND TO DEVELOP TO UTMOST ITS MILITARY INDUSTRY
AS IN TIME OF AMERICAN INTERVENTION, WHICH WAS BRUTALLY
STOPPED BY THE ADVANCE OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES SUPPORTED
BY POPULAR DEMOCRACIES.... BOTH WISH TO RETURN TO NOSTALGIC
HOURS OF SYSTEMATIC AGGRESSION".

4. COMMENT: APS COMMENTARY REFLECTS GOA CONVICTION
THAT IT MATTERS LITTLE WHO IS US PRESIDENT; ALGERIAN
"REVOLUTIONARY SOCIALIST" THEORY REQUIRES THAT THEY
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PUT FORWARD BELIEF THAT HE BOUND TO FOLLOW PATH OF

CAPILTALIST IMPERIALIST COLONIALIST AGGRESSION. PARKER

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